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To Whom It May Concern,

The internet at this point is as vital to everyday life, business functions, healthcare, and education and should access should be treated and respected as a utility such as gas, electric, and water in this country. These are my comments regarding "Restoring Internet Freedom Notice of Proposed Rulemaking – WC Docket No. 17-108 "

I'm worried that the protections that are in place will be weakened if we change the way they're enforced. I would support a new regulation style if it guarantees the same or better protections, but not if we lose any.

Paragraph 82 asks for input on whether throttling should be regulated. In the past ISPs have throttled content based on their own determination of what was lawful or permissible, and had to be forced to stop in the courts. Isn't it possible they could do this again? I'm also concerned by mobile providers who say a plan is "unlimited," but when you exceed the data cap, only throttle sites and services that aren't part of their approved zero-rating network. Thanks for reading my comment.

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